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1. BELIEVE REFTEL B EXCELLENT SUMMATION OF GOALS BASED ON REFTELS D AND E WHICH DEFINE U.S. INTERESTS IN CAMEROON. FOLLOWING OBSERVATIONS BASED ON COUNTRY TEAM MEETING AND SHOULD BE CONSIDERED FOR INCORPORATION AMBASSADORIAL GOALS AND OBJECTIVES AFTER APPROPRIATE CONCURRENCE FROM AMBASSADOR SMYTHE.

2. UNDER POLITICAL ADD QUOTE ENCOURAGE GURC RESPONSE OF PENDING REQUEST ESTABLISH WATTS BASE STATION. UNQUOTE

3. UNDER ECONOMIC/COMMERCIAL CHANGE "EXPRESS" TO "PROVIDE" SO THAT FIRST GOAL NOW READS "PROVIDE SUPPORT FOR" ETC.

4. IN SECOND ECONOMIC/COMMERCIAL GOAL, SUBSTITUTE "INCREASE" FOR "MAINTAIN" SO THAT SENTENCE BEGINS "INCREASE ACCESS TO CAMEROON'S PRIMARY" ETC.

5. COMBINE THIRD AND FOURTH GOALS AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE ENCOURAGE CAMEROON TO CONTINUE ITS PRESENT POLICY OF DIVERSIFYING ITS TRADE RELATIONS BY ASSISTING AMERICAN FIRMS DESIRING TO TRADE WITH
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OR INVEST IN CAMEROON AND ESPECIALLY ASSURING EQUITABLE TREATMENT FOR AMERICAN FIRMS INTERESTED IN PARTICIPATING IN CAMEROONIAN DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS. UNQUOTE.

6. UNDER EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL, CHANGE FIRST GOAL TO QUOTE MAINTAIN AND EXPAND TO EXTENT POSSIBLE AN ACTIVE EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL EXCHANGE PROGRAM WITH CAMEROON, ESPECIALLY IN SUPPORT

OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC/COMMERCIAL GOALS. END QUOTE.

7. ADD NEW EDUCATIONAL AND CULTURAL GOAL OF QUOTE SUPPORT
CAMEROONIAN POLICY OF BILINGUALISM. END QUOTE.

8. COUNTRY TEAM DIVIDED EQUALLY ON QDSTION OF INCLUDING WATTS
(PARA 2 ABOVE) AS IT MAY BE TOO SPECIFIC AND THERE SOME QUESTION
AS TO EXTENT THAT IT APPROPRIATE TO TIE INCOMING AMBASSADOR TO
OUTSTANDING PROBLEM WHICH HOPEFULLY WILL BE RESOLVED SHORTLY.
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